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In the Claims:

Please substitute the enclosed claims for the claims in the pending PCT application, as amended, PRIOR TO computing the claims filing fees:

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CLAIMS

- 1. (Original) A communications system comprising a first database and a second database, the first database comprising data identifying a system user and the second database comprising one or more data sets relating to a system user, wherein
- i) the first database additionally comprises data indicating the location of the one or more data sets relating to that user;
- ii) the second database comprises a plurality of data sets relating to a system user; the system being characterised in that:
- iii) the system further comprises a third database, the third database comprising hierarchical data defining a relationship between the plurality of data sets.
- 2. (Original) A communications system according to claim 1, the system further comprising a search engine, the search engine, in use, accessing data stored in the first database and/or the second database.
- 3. (Presently amended) A communications system according to claim, wherein the system includes a plurality of one or more of the following group: the first database, the second database, the third database or the search engine.
- 4. (Presently amended) A communications system according to <u>claim lany preceding claim</u> wherein the first database, on receiving a first request from a client terminal sends a first

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response to the client terminal, the first request comprising identification data for a system user and the first response comprising data indicating the location of one or more data sets relating to that user.

- 5. (Original) A communications system according to claim 4, wherein the second database, on receiving a second request from a client terminal sends a second response to the client terminal, the second request comprising an identification of a requested data set and the second response comprising the requested data set.
- 6. (Original) A mobile communications device comprising processor means, data storage means, memory means and display means, the device, in use being configured to:
- i) send a first request comprising a user identifier to a first system database;
- ii) receive a first response from the first system database comprising a location for a second system database;
- iii) send a second request to the location of the second
 system database;
- iv) receive a second response from the second system
 database comprising a data set related to the user identifier
 comprised in the first request;

characterised in that the device is configured to

- v) send a third request to a third system database; and
- vi) receive a third response from the a third system database comprising hierarchical data defining relationships for

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the data set received in step iv) between the of second data records.

7. (Original) A communications system comprising a first database and a second database, wherein:

the first database comprises a plurality of first data records, each of the first data records being associated with a registered user of the communications system and comprising a registered user identifier and a data resource locator; and

the second database comprises a plurality of second data records, each of the second data records being associated with a registered user of the communications system and comprising one or more data sets associated with that registered user,

the system being configure such that when a first data record is added to the first database, the system adds a second data record to the second database, the contents of the second data record being derived from the data submitted to the first database:

the system being characterised in that the system further comprises a third database, the third database comprising a plurality of third data records, each third data record being associated with a registered user further associated with a first data record and a plurality of second data records, wherein each third data record comprises hierarchical data defining a relationship between the plurality of second data records.

8. (Original) A communications system according to claim 7, wherein the data resource locator of the first data record

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associated with a registered user indicates the location of the second data record associated with that registered user.

- 9. (Presently Amended) A communications system according to claim 7—or claim 8, wherein the system further comprises a search engine, the search engine configure to search the first and/or the second database.
- 9. (Presently Amended) A communications system according to claim 7—or claim 8, wherein the system further comprises a search engine, the search engine configure to search the first and/or the second database.
- 10. (NEW) A communications system according to claim 8, wherein the system further comprises a search engine, the search engine configure to search the first and/or the second database.